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SUBMISSION OF SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION

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Sir:

In the above-identified application, it is noted that the Declaration submitted with the application papers on September 3, 2004 filed with the application papers, indicated that the Japanese patent application No. 2002-195086 filed on July 3, 2002 incorrectly listed the year as 200~~3~~. Therefore, applicants submit herewith a Supplemental Declaration correcting the date as July 3, 200~~2~~.

Acceptance of the Supplemental Declaration and examination of the application is respectfully requested.

To the extent necessary, applicant's petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (520.44257X00) and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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